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How couches are coming down—\$3.00 today. Could not advise you to buy as we think they will be lower tomorrow.

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17 & 19 EAST WASH. ST.

### School Shoes.

We Now Have in Stock More SCHOOL SHOES Than all the Other Stores in the City. They are Superior in Style and Quality as Well as Lower in Price Than Any You Can Get Elsewhere.

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Physicians and Surgeons.

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WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF THESE GOODS OF ASSORTED COLORS AND SIZES.

DECORATE YOUR CHRISTMAS TREE WITH THEM.

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Comb and Brush Sets, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Banquet and Library Lamp Pocket Books and Card Cases, Work Boxes, Calendars, Toys, Dolls &c &c at

## Allen's Drug Store

We have the largest line of Chamber Sets in the City. Don't fail to see our goods—Our prices are low.

### THE LOCAL FIELD

What is Going on in and About Fair Greencastle.

LATEST CITY MAPS AND MISHAPS.

Where Our People are Going and Where Their Guests are Stopping—News of Interest Over the City—The Best Column in the Paper for Quick Reading.

#### DON'T THINK

Of leaving the city, even for a short time, without ordering the Daily BANNER TIMES to follow you. It costs you but 10 cents a week as it does here at home, and the address will be changed as often as you desire.

S. A. Hays went to Indianapolis this morning.

D. L. Anderson is at home from Louisville.

W. H. Foreman, of McFall, Mo., is visiting friends in the city.

Big Four trains ran over the Vandalia track last night on account of slight freight wreck at Terre Haute.

College City lodge A. O. U. W. will have a call meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

G. H. Hulce, formerly of the BANNER TIMES, has secured a position with Levy Bros. at Indianapolis, and left for that place this morning.

The Century club will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Sidelia Starr. Mrs. J. W. Cole will read a paper on "The Restriction of Immigration."

W. R. Grogan will tomorrow ship two ear loads of cattle to Philadelphia. The cattle were purchased of Peck Bros. at \$3.65 per hundred. They will average about \$1500.

The Big 4 will run a special train east tomorrow, says the Bloomington Telephone, to accommodate the student travel. The train will leave immediately after the Monon flyer arrives.

Bert Sparks, of St. Louis, is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. L. Denman. Mr. Sparks has been on a hunting trip in Arkansas and has been sending Mr. Denman some choice cuts of venison and bear.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard C. Donnohue will informally observe the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage Dec. 23, at their home on Poplar street. They will be pleased to receive their friends from 2 to 5 in the afternoon and from 7 to 9 in the evening. No invitations have been issued.

Howard Staudt, while operating a spoke saw for W. M. Sellers at Mill Grove in Owen county Tuesday, met with a severe accident and narrowly escaped death by a shed falling on him. It caught his head between the shed and the machine making some ugly bruises and cutting two large gashes in head and face and knocking his jaw teeth loose on one side. Dr. Fisher, of Quincy, dressed the wounds. James Staudt, a brother, escaped injury by falling to the floor by the side of the machine. Mr. Sellers came from the bedside of Mr. Staudt yesterday evening and reports him doing very well.

Mrs. Joseph M. Allen and Miss Sarah E. Hillis were married this afternoon at the residence of the bride's father,

Geo. B. Hillis, three miles north of the city, Rev. J. M. Greene officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by a few intimate friends and relatives. The groom is the well known auctioneer and he is known from one end of Putnam to the other to be a fine gentleman. His bride is the second daughter of Mr. Hillis and has a host of friends to congratulate her. Mr. and Mrs. Allen left at five o'clock this afternoon for Atlanta and other southern points on their bridal tour. The BANNER TIMES extends congratulations.

Miss Ida M. Tarbell one of the editors of McClure's Magazine arrived here yesterday from New York and is registered at the Belnap. The object of her visit is to meet and confer with Jesse W. Weik relative to the copyright of certain articles on Lincoln which Mr. Weik has contracted to furnish the Magazine. In an interview with the BANNER TIMES representative Miss Tarbell stated that Mr. Weik's collection of material as the result of his researches into Lincoln's life is the most valuable and remarkable thing of the kind in all the country. Miss Tarbell is a beautiful woman of engaging manners and expressed a decided admiration for Greencastle. She took tea last evening with Dr. John Clark Ridpath.

The Presbyterian choir and orchestra will give a song service appropriate to Christmas on next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Mr. John Hillis will assist. The program will be announced later.

Dr. Veach and Joe Wardlaw of Staunton, and Will Daggy, of Indianapolis, attended the funeral of I. Hawkins yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Tolin came down from Indianapolis this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mahan, left at noon for Chicago to spend the holidays.

Dr. G. W. Bence is in Sullivan county looking after his interests there.

Miss Jessie Couch came up from Terre Haute this afternoon.

Miss Ora Hinton is at home from Rockville.

D. E. Kelley returned to Indianapolis this afternoon.

#### Keep Out.

Supt. Parker, of the Monon, has caused to be posted at the telegraph offices along the line a bulletin, prohibiting any person other than the agents or ticket sellers in an office where there is a telegraph instrument in operation. Failure to comply with this rule will be considered grounds for the dismissal of an operator. The rule applies to all engineers, firemen, brakemen, and conductors, conductors being required to translate all business at the office windows from the outside. The cause of these orders being issued, it is said, originated from the disclosure of private matters sent out by the officials of the company.

Catarrah can be successfully treated only by purifying the blood, and the one true blood purifier is Hood's Sarsaparilla.

#### Gifts to the Doll Show.

A. J. Wilson, mail clerk of the Monon, brought the Presbyterian ladies today a handsome tree of holly to use in their entertainment. The present is a beauty.

Judge McGregor has sent a doll to the Presbyterian doll show and it is slyly hinted that the judge dressed it with his own hands, and did the needle work. There is no affidavit accompanying the doll, however, to show that the rumor is true. The doll is a daisy, nevertheless.

#### Real Estate Transfers.

Mary J. Moffett to James R. Thorp, land in Marion township, \$35.  
Henry C. Darnall to Henry W. Powers, land in Floyd township, \$36.  
Amanda Plummer to Mary and Emily Briscoe, land in Greencastle, quit, \$1.  
Mary and Emily Briscoe to George Briscoe, land in Greencastle, \$500.  
Julia M. Reeves et al to Martha A. Reeves, land in Monroe tp., \$600.

#### Letter List.

The following letters remain in the Greencastle postoffice uncalled for Dec. 18 1895:

Mr. Miram Lemontree, Elizabeth Miller, Mr. J. Cliff Miller, Miss May Flowers, Miss Stella Caldwell, Miss Sallie B. Clark, Mr. F. R. P. H. Lambert, Miss Sarah J. Clark, Mrs. Lucian Howard, Mrs. William Brown, Mrs. Gaines, Mr. James Ludrick, Miss Hattie B. Rogers, Mr. John C. Moss.

In calling for same please say "advertised." WILLIS G. NEFF, P. M.

Do not fail to see the assortment of fine china at Langdon's Book store. 54-2t

You won't be in it if you don't get a box of fine candies at the Palace. 54-2t

Josiah Bacon, conductor on the P. W. & B. R. R., says "Brazilian Balm cured me of inveterate catarrh which I had for 36 years." Brazilian Balm kills the catarrh microbe, making a radical cure.

#### Locust Street M. E. Church.

The revival meetings continue. However, there will be no service tomorrow, (Friday) afternoon. This is in order to give all an opportunity to do personal work. Tonight at 6:30 Miss Laura Sheridan will lead a young ladies' meeting in the lower prayer room; at the same hour in the upper room the young men will meet. Public service will be at 7 o'clock. Everybody is invited. The Sunday school classes of Miss Miller, Mr. Maxson and Mrs. Moore are requested to be at the church tomorrow (Friday) at 9:30 a. m. and 2 p. m. to assist in decorations for Christmas services for both Sunday next and Christmas eve.

#### Election of Officers.

Temple Lodge No. 47, F. & A. M. elected officers Wednesday evening as follows:

Jesse Richardson, W M

E B Evans, S W

W L Denman, J W

G Renick, treasurer.

John H James, secretary.

J E Dorsett, S D

E W White, J D

Jas L Browning, tyler.

A present present with every hat at 1. M. Klein's millinery store. 55 t 3.

An elegant assortment of ladies' long watch chains at H. S. Werneke's jewelry store. tf.

There is nothing you can give your friends for a Christmas present that will give more comfort than a sack or barrel of Vandalia Mills Best High Grade flour. Ask your grocer for it or telephone 77. 53-eod.

See those child dress pin sets at H. S. Werneke's. tf.

A bottle of Frangipanni given with each hat at Irene M. Klein's millinery store. 55 t 3.

For five dollars, large fire proof safe at the Belnap House. 1t

English pudding, fruit cake, veal loaf, chickens, mince pies, cake and bread on sale at the Exchange Saturday at Weida's Grocery store, east Washington street. 1

You will find something to please your Best Girl in H. S. Werneke's stock of fine jewelry. tf.

At Langdon's Book store you can buy some of the best standard books from 25 to 50 per cent below publishers prices. 54-2t

Buy your holiday jewelry from H. S. Werneke and have it engraved without extra charge. tf.

#### The Weather.

The indications for this vicinity for the coming thirty-six hours are as follows as received by H. S. Renick & Co. from the official weather bureau at Indianapolis:

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 19.

Cloudy weather, and rain to-day and Friday. Cox.

The following local observations as taken daily by Guy Wilson who is in charge of the official weather instruments located on the roof of the West College building:

Maximum temperature yesterday..... 59.4  
Minimum..... 31.0  
Temperature today, 7 a. m..... 57.8  
noon..... 61  
Rain fall yesterday (inches)..... .83  
The noon temperature is taken daily by the BANNER TIMES.



Mrs. J. P. Bell, Ossawatimie, Kan., wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes "I was troubled with heart disease for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. They said there was no help for me, that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisement in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, I ordered a bottle of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. I took the first bottle, which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and it completely cured me. I sleep well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did: there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial." Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at \$1, 6 bottles for \$5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Restores Health

## LADIES DESKS, BOOK CASES, MUSIC CABINETS

FOR THE CHRISTMAS TRADE.

A Few More Couches left at

\$3.50

## HANNA.

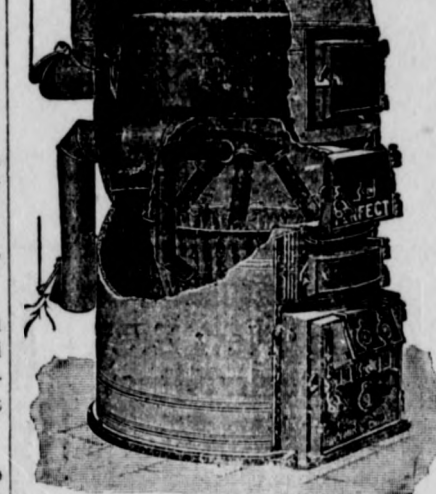
### Alpheus Birch

Staple and Fancy Groceries, S. W. CORNER PUBLIC SQUARE.

## HOLIDAY GOODS.

A fine display of Haviland and German china, also a general line of queensware and glassware. Candies, fruits, etc., in abundance.

"THE PERFECT" Buy a Furnace that will burn Any kind of coal successfully



A furnace specially constructed to prevent the formation of Smoke by consuming all GASES.

A HEAT PRODUCER and FUEL SAVER.

Will burn any variety of Soft or Hard coal without a Continuous Waste of smoke from the chimney; will keep fire over night. Perfect combustion with great saving of fuel, leaving very little ashes.

Far in advance for superior Merit and Heating capacity over any furnace in Existence.

Hot-Air Blast Furnace. For sale by H. S. RENICK & CO..

Why is it, You Ask

THAT HAMILTON SELLS SO MANY GOODS?

This is the reason: He has the best groceries and makes the lowest prices. His regular customers know this and the new ones he gains every day rapidly learn this fact.

Give Him a Call.

E. A. HAMILTON, Southeast corner square

BEAUTIFUL THINGS IN MEN'S NECKWEAR EXAMINE OUR LINE.

Latest novelties, newest styles, exclusive patterns, special designs. Nothing nicer or more appropriate for a Christmas gift.

SUTHERLIN, Hatter and Men's Furbisher.

## SPECIAL - SALE - OF TROUSERS

ALL WOOL CASIMERE MADE TO ORDER AT \$3.00. EXTRA VALUES AT \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$6.00. A look will make you a customer.

NO. 6 E. WASH. ST. A. G. LESTER.

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